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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</b>		Docket No.: 00650-0604
Serial No.: 09/594,324	Filing Date: June 15, 2000	<p style="text-align: center;">6-16-03</p> <p style="text-align: center;">MAY 09 2003</p> <p style="text-align: center;">PATENT &amp; TRADEMARK OFFICE</p>
Group Art Unit: 1724	Examiner: I. Cintins	
Applicant(s): Toshio Matsumura et al		
Invention: Filter for Removing Contaminants from Water and Method of Forming the Filter		

Commissioner For Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313  
Sir:

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Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 12/4/02 in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached Response timely.

**Extension Fee For**

Response Within:	First Month	Second Month	Third Month	Fourth Month
Large Entity:	<input type="checkbox"/> \$110.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$410.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$930.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,450.00
Small Entity:	<input type="checkbox"/> \$55.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$205.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$465.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$725.00

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$300.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed (the difference between the previously paid for one month extension and the present two month extension fee.
- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 23-0785.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

By \_\_\_\_\_

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